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Petition For Two Month Extension Of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

SIR:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2001, be extended for a period of two (2) months from May 27, 2001, to and including July 27, 2001, so that applicants may concurrently file a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d). Thus, the subject application is pending today and the concurrently filed continuation application is copending herewith for purposes of 35 U.S.C. §120. The fee for a two month extension of time is \$390.00 and a check including that amount is enclosed.

No additional fee is deemed necessary for filing this paper. However, if any additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fee to Deposit Account No. 18-0650.

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